

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY	DOCKET NO. RN-03-3 (AEP-03-1)
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ORDER APPROVING CUSTOMER NOTICE

(Issued September 15, 2003)

On August 22, 2003, MidAmerican Energy Company (MidAmerican) filed with the Utilities Board (Board) a request for approval of a proposed customer notification for its proposed alternate energy purchase program pursuant to 199 IAC 15.17(2)"b"(2). The proposed rate notification is identified as Docket No. RN-03-3 and the proposed alternate energy purchase program is identified as Docket No. AEP-03-1. MidAmerican filed an amendment to the customer notification on September 5, 2003, to add the fuel reporting information required by 199 IAC 15.17(2)"b"(1). No objections to the proposed customer notification were filed.

MidAmerican plans to distribute the customer notification as a billing insert. MidAmerican states that distribution will be completed by November 2, 2003, which is 60 days prior to the proposed January 1, 2004, program start date. This is within the time frame required by 199 IAC 15.17(2) for distribution of the customer notice. The Board finds that the proposed customer notification, as amended, substantially complies with the requirements of 199 IAC 15.17(2) and will be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

The proposed customer notification filed by MidAmerican Energy Company on August 22, 2003, as amended on September 5, 2003, is approved.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 15th day of September, 2003.